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## In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

(I) Please replace the paragraph directed to Fig. 2, on page 15, starting with line 22, with the following replacement paragraph:

Fig. 2 shows the segmental accumulation of radiolabeled botulinum toxin in the spinal cord of a rat <u>after injection of the botulinum toxin into the hind limb and forelimb of the rat, Figs. 2A and 2B, respectively.</u> (From Habermann, Nauyn-Schmiedeberg's Arch Pharmacol 281, 47-56 (1974)).

(II) Please replace the term "DRAWINGS", on page 15, line 19, with the following replacement phrase:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS